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In re the Application of

Saeko KURACHI

Group Art Unit: 1725

Application No.: 10/086,806

Examiner: C. Ildebrando

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Docket No.: 111204

For: CARBON MONOXIDE SELECTIVE OXIDIZING CATALYST AND  
MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR THE SAME

**AMENDMENT**

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In reply to the February 25, 2004 Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and**

**Remarks.**

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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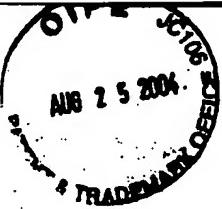
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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is the nonprovisional patent application

For (Title): **CARBON MONOXIDE SELECTIVE OXIDIZING CATALYST AND MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR THE SAME**

By (Inventors): **Saeko KURACHI**

- Formal drawings (Figs. 1-13; 12 sheets) are attached.  
 Use Figure \_\_\_\_\_ for front page of Publication.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney is filed herewith.

This patent application is assigned to **TOYOTA JIDOSHA KABUSHIKI KAISHA**.  
 The executed Assignment is filed herewith.

An Information Disclosure Statement is filed herewith.

Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.

A Preliminary Amendment is filed herewith.

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_.  
 Priority of foreign application No. 2001-060060 filed March 5, 2001 in Japan is claimed (35 U.S.C. §119).  
 A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is filed herewith.

This application is NOT to be published under 35 U.S.C. 112(b). The undersigned attorney or agent hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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